SENATE BILL 1197

By Kelsey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39 and Title 40, relative to criminal law and criminal procedure.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-103(b), is amended by adding the following new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() Reckless endangerment where the victim is a child eight (8) years of age or younger is a Class D felony.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015, the public welfare requiring it.